

Declaration/Affidavit

I ANGEL MALDONADO #HS-6238, am a prisoner @ SCI Fayette and can be located @ :50 Overlook Dr., Labelle, PA 15450 and am housed on L Block, A Pod, cell # 1003, known as Phase 5 of the Security Threat Group Management Unit (STGMU).

I hereby declare and certify that the facts are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief and I verify the below statements under both 28 USC § 1746 and 18 Pa. CS § 4904 and do hereby declare under penalty of perjury:

1. All enclosed in this declaration I heard and saw with my own ears and eyes and do have personal knowledge of all facts asserted / declared.

2. On 7-14-22 unit manager (U/M) S. Biddle come on to L-A Pod and immediately yelled out "Everyone on A Pod get the fuck up! And get your asses on the door. I'm only gonna say this once!... NO one on this pod can file any more grievances. Period. Point. Blank. We don't care what it's about or who it's ~~on~~ on. You guys think you can just sit here and griever me and my fellow officers you have another thing coming. There's been literally hundreds of grievances filed between you all and that stops today. We know you guys are preparing to sue us, that's abundantly clear, well see how easy your suit

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gets dismissed when we show you haven't fully exhausted.

3. I heard Scullen in LA 9 cell yell back to u/m riddle "You can't stop us from exercising our 1st amendment rights to have our other rights upheld! That's illegal and unconstitutional. We're only filing grievances when our rights are really being violated!"

4. u/m riddle responded by yelling "Let me make myself clear. The time for filing grievances or grievance appeals is over. I have the support of Deputy Walker and superintendent Armel. No more grievance forms will be passed out to Apod under any circumstances. Your voice is officially being silenced. No one cares what happens to a bunch of gang bangers anyway. This applies to all of you on Apod. Plus, if you get your hands on one, that grievance will be intercepted by my guards and thrown in the trash can. And that's just the beginning."

5. I then heard Scullen in LA 9 cell yell out "man ya'll can't do that. Me and my celly shareef (this declarant would point out Scullen has no celly and shareef is merely a hallucination that he believes is a real person occupying his cell) only grieve actual claims. Real issues. No one on this Pod is filing bullshit claims. And what do you mean just the beginning?"

6. u/m riddle replied "Fuck your claims! This is my unit! You

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guys are in my world! No more grievances. and that's final! If you somehow get your hands on a grievance form, which I doubt, it will be thrown in the trash, and then the real fun begins. though, for even attempting to, my superiors have instructed me to have our guards not feed you for 3 days straight if a attempt to file a grievance on this pod is made. No breakfast, lunch, no Dinner for 3 consecutive days! hows that sound!?"

7. Scullen yelled out again "That's gonna be on camera!"

8. ulm riddle replied "we'll give you empty trays with no food in them so on camera it looks like you got fed. And if you act up about this we'll say you took your tray hostage and use that as a pretense to spray you with OC spray (mase), drag you out your cell, throw you in a camera cell with no property!"

9. This was met with silence. This caused me to think and feel nervous, scared because I've been placed in a camera cell with no property for four(4) days

10. ulm riddle went on to say "any further attempts will result in another 3 days of no food, and a additional punishment of 2 weeks: no showers, no yard, no law library, no mail, and we will continue to up the ante if we have to. Now, we can't allow all the grievances you guys have already filed go unpunished

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So we will be Filing paperwork to put you all on RRL and for some of you we have already done so. and lastly, Deputy Walker will come through tomorrow to reiterate what I have just said, though I'd be careful what you say to her."

11. This also was met by shocked and fearful silence. This made me feel ~~DEPRESSED AND FEARFUL~~ THAT I'M GOING TO BE LOCKED IN THE STAMM OR PHU LAM WITH NO BASIC HUMAN RIGHTS

12. On 7/15/22 the next morning Scullen in LA9 cell still having grievance forms in his cell from the last time he got them attempted to Pass them to the C.O and have them filed in spite of W/m Riddles ~~7~~ prior announcement the day before. I Asked him why he would he stated "we got to try". I asked what they were about he said they were appeals for his grievancees #s 986683 and 986678.

13. Later the same day ^{C.O} ~~7~~ came on A Pod with the grievancees that scullen had tried to send out in his hand and yelled out "I will be throwing these in the trash as soon as I'm off camera. Like w/m riddle said yesterday ... ya'll will not be eating for the next 3 days. enjoy your hunger pains." and walked off the Pod.

14. Later the same day Deputy Walker come on the Pod and yelled "How are my hungry little gang bangers? Any comments, questions concerns to the new rules riddle discoursed with you yesterday? No one replied. She then walked around the whole Pod and stared us all down.

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15. This made me think and Feel I HAVE NO WIN OR WAY OUT OF THIS HELL HOLE WHEN A DEATH IS ALLOWING OR IN CONDOITS WITH THIS TYPE OF RETALIATION.

16. On 7-15-22, 7-16-22, and 7-17-22 the whole A pod was given empty Foodtrays at meal times as promised/threatened. No one on ~~an~~ A Pod was given breakfast, lunch, nor dinner for 3 straight days because we filed grievances.

17. To date of this declaration no grievances have been passed out on A Pod.

18. I ANGIL MAWANA #HS-6238 am scared to file a grievance and even if I wasn't I couldn't get my hands on a unavailable form. I truly fear retaliation and do not want to go through 3 days of hunger again. Nor do I want my yard, shower, law library, and/or mail privileges/rights revoked for attempting to file a grievance like W/middle threatened to do. Furthermore even if I wasn't scared of retaliation I believe ~~I~~ I can't get a grievance form anyway. The C.O. won't give me one. Lastly, I believe even if I could get a form and wasn't scared I truly believe the form wouldn't be processed and would just get thrown away like Scullen's did on 7-15-22.

I, ANGIL MAWANA #HS-6238, hereby declare the foregoing as true to my knowledge, information, and belief. And I do declare so under penalty of perjury. I will be willing to testify on behalf of anyone this affected (these facts) in any court proceeding.